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component container, the identifier being electronically stored in the component and read therefrom for printing on the labels.

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(Amended) The article of manufacture of claim 1 wherein the first label can be removed from the component container and attached to a device in which the component is installed.

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(Amended) The article of manufacture of claim 3 wherein the second label can be removed from the component container and attached to a package in which the device is shipped.

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(Amended) An article of manufacture comprising:

a base label having a designated area thereon to receive an identification label;

and

first and second identification labels removably attached to the designated area of the base label, each identification label having printed thereon an identifier that uniquely identifies a component inside a component container to which the base label can be attached, the identifier being electronically stored in the component and read therefrom for printing on the identification labels.

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(Amended) The article of manufacture of claim 19 wherein the first label can be removed from the component container and attached to a device in which the component is installed.

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(Amended) The article of manufacture of claim 21 wherein the second label can be removed from the component container and attached to a package in which the device is shipped.